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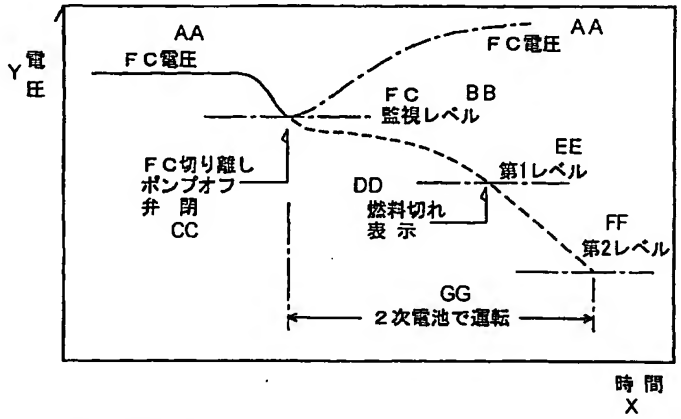

AA...FC VOLTAGE
BB...FC MONITORING LEVEL
CC...DISCONNECT FC, TURN OFF PUMP, CLOSE VALVE
DD...FUEL RUNNING OUT INDICATION
EE...FIRST LEVEL
FF...SECOND LEVEL
GG...OPERATION WITH SECONDARY CELL
X...TIME
Y...VOLTAGE

(57) Abstract: A fuel cell is connected with a secondary cell for backup and when the output from the fuel cell drops, the fuel cell is disconnected from a load and the load is driven with the secondary cell. When the residual capacity of the secondary cell lowers to below a first level, a fuel running out indication is turned on and when the residual capacity lowers to below second level, the secondary cell is also separated from the load.

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